
Colossians 1:3-14
Living a Life of Impact Through Prayer

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MISSIO DEI CHURCH

LORD'S DAY WORSHIP

SUNDAY, APRIL 19, 2026

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord:

Who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, and born of the virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended into hell.

On the third day, He rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From there He will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic* church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting. Amen.

*Universal: The Christian church is universal in that there is not one nation that the church belongs to; but, all the nations of the world.

PREPARATION FOR THE WORSHIP OF OUR HOLY GOD

Silent Prayer

Keep, we ask You, O Lord, Your Church with Your perpetual mercy; and, because the frailty of man without You cannot but fall, keep us ever by Your help from all things hurtful, and lead us to all things profitable to our salvation; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

CALL TO WORSHIP--PSALM 118

Leader: This is the day that You have made, Lord,

ALL: Help us to rejoice in it and be glad!

Leader: Remind us of the privileges we enjoy as Your people:

ALL: to come to You in these moments, to confess our sins, to receive forgiveness and give it, to pray and sing and listen, to renew our fainting spirits, to rest in all Your promises.

Leader: Open our eyes to see You, Lord.

ALL: Open our ears to hear Your Word. Visit us through Your Holy Spirit, and help us to celebrate our faith. Amen.

HYMNS OF PRAISE:

*Spirit Song
Jesus, Thank You*

READING OF THE LAW, CONFESSION, AND ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Reading of The Law

Romans 13:8-10

Corporate Prayer of Confession

Almighty God, who is rich in mercy to all those who call upon you - Hear us as we come to you humbly confessing our sins and secrets, praying for your mercy and forgiveness. We have broken your laws by our deeds and words, and by the sinful emotions of our hearts. We confess our disobedience and ingratitude, our pride and willfulness and all our failures toward you and others. Have mercy upon us and forgive us. Out of your great goodness grant that we may please you in newness of life. We pray all these things through the merit and mediation of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Silent Prayer of Confession

Assurance of Pardon

Romans 8:1-4 : "There is therefore now no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus. For the law of the Spirit of life has set you free in Christ Jesus from the law of sin and death. For God has done what the law, weakened by the flesh, could not do. By sending his own Son in the likeness of sinful flesh and for sin, he condemned sin in the flesh, in order that the righteous requirement of the law might be fulfilled in us, who walk not according to the flesh but according to the Spirit."

OFFERTORY PRAYER

HYMN OF RESPONSE

Be Thou My Vision

PASTORAL PRAYER

SERMON

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CLOSING HYMN

At the Cross

THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

BENEDICTION

Romans 15:13

APRIL VOLUNTEER SCHEDULE

Children's Church

2nd-3rd Grade

- 5--No Class
- 12--Lorrie Spence
Kimm Witherts
- 19--James Follins
Phil Foster
- 26--Amanda Mack
Jocelyn Mack

PreK-1st Grade

- 5--No Class
- 12--Erin Stephens
Aurea Stephens
- 19--Christina Bailey
Chessa Ross
- 26--Amber Leman
Becky White

2-3 Year Olds

- 5--No Class
- 12--Mallory Adams
Bethany McNett
- 19--Kelsey Whitney
Luke Whitney
- 26--Jacqi Pilet

Nursery

- 5--No Class
- 12--Anna Rollins
- 19--Ambryan White
Rachel White
- 26--Jacqi Pilet

Greeters

- 5--Cari Burck
- 12--Tim Bailey
- 19--Becky White
Ryan Thacker
- 26--Phil Foster

APRIL MISSIONARIES

**David & Rashel Robbins
Closed Country, MTW**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Meals for Tyler & Bekah Agee—Welcome baby Nora Belle! Please consider providing a meal for Bekah, Tyler, and Anna this month. They have no dietary restrictions and sincerely appreciate any offerings. See weekly email from Mark to sign up.

Wednesday Night Corporate Study—Join us on Wednesday nights at 5:30, beginning with a provided dinner! This year's theme will be "Marked and Nourished: Baptism, the Supper, and the Church." Christ has not left His church without visible means of grace. In this study, we will explore how baptism and the Lord's Supper function as "signs and seals" of God's covenant, strengthening faith and marking out the people of God. Grounded in Scripture and the Westminster Larger Catechism, we will also consider how the sacraments relate to church membership and the life of the covenant community. The youth (grades 6-12) will also be meeting during this time. If you missed a week and would like to listen to the audio, you can listen to it on Missio's podcast!

Children's Ministry Volunteers—Please consider serving on a rotating team of volunteers in our kids' ministry. See weekly email from Mark for link email Sammi for more info.

First Friday Corporate Prayer Time—Join us the first Friday of every month for corporate prayer in the Fellowship Hall at 12:15.

HAPPY APRIL BIRTHDAY!

**Megan Taylor (4/1), Jonan Pilet (4/2), Monroe Taylor (4/9),
Amanda Mack (4/11), Ryan Thacker (4/12), Cari Burck (4/13),
Jean Cremeans (4/21), Dream Lester (4/25), Luke Whitney
(4/26), Jack Valentine (4/28)**

If we've forgotten anyone, let Mark White know!